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## PROHIBITION

**For the Nation Opposed by His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons.**  
**History Shows That Morality Can Not Be Legislated Into People.**  
**Nationwide Prohibition an Infringement Upon Personal Liberty.**

### FAVORS NATIONAL TEMPERANCE

In connection with the demand of a few fanatics for nation-wide prohibition, the following statements of Howard B. Coffin, of the Advisory Committee of the Council of National Defense, and Cardinal Gibbons are interesting. Mr. Coffin says:

Because of an impending and possible shortage of foodstuffs, or have hysterical demands for economy in every line of human endeavor. Waste is bad, but an indiscriminate economy is worse. General business is being slowed down because of the emotional response of the trading public to these misguided campaigns for economy. And thousands of workers are being thrown needlessly out of employment. All this is wrong. Unemployment and closed factories brought about through fitful and ill-considered campaigns for public and private economy will prove a veritable foundation of quicksand for the serious work we have at hand. Does this solemn counsel against hysteria apply to the industry of making and selling liquor, an industry which represents an investment of millions of dollars, employs thousands of men and pays millions of dollars in taxes to the country?

Here is a calm, unbiased opinion on prohibition by national eminence by Cardinal Gibbons:

"I would regard the passage of a Federal prohibition law as a national catastrophe. Little short of a crime against the spiritual and physical well-being of the American people. I am in favor of local option applied to communities of such limited size, either of territory or population, that the vote on the question can unmistakably show the majority sentiment for or against the sale of liquor. This means 'home rule,' or the true application of the principles of self-government. But I am firmly and unalterably opposed to the enactment of State-wide prohibition legislation, for such sweeping measures mean that the rural districts, for instance, can force their summary judgment upon the urban districts. This is a denial of self-government, an infringement upon personal liberty. Moreover, the liquor problem in the rural districts and the liquor problems in the urban districts are problems of vastly different aspects. To take only one feature of this difference: Experience has shown that prohibition can be enforced in the country but not in the city. Thus with State-wide liquor legislation, the rural districts are placed in a position of inferiority to the urban districts without any experience or knowledge of the latter's needs. The reasons against State prohibition apply with even greater strength against national prohibition. It requires no argument to show that the greater the distances that separate communities the less will be their sympathy with and their knowledge of each other's conditions and needs. Then there is further reason, a reason that is so weighty that it alone should nullify all talk of national prohibition: If the prohibitionists succeed in mustering the necessary strength to enact their summary law, one of two things is going to happen in the States that have had prohibition legislation forced upon them—either these States will ignore the unpopular law or that law will be enforced by military force. All history shows that you can not legislate morality into a people; that the law that is enacted against the majority sentiment almost immediately becomes a dead law. But we do not need to go out of our own time and country for evidence of this. To instance only one of the many striking examples, let me mention the Fifteenth amendment, which was enacted to give political equality to the colored man; it is against the controlling opinion in the Southern States and therefore a dead letter in all of them. "The belief that legislation is a panacea for all social ills is one of the great evils of the day. To take the law out of its proper field and to make the law abortive, and to make the law a dead letter, is already a dangerous sentiment of this kind in our country. To add to it by enacting an abortive law of such universal significance as a national prohibition statute would work an incalculable injury to the spiritual well-being of the American people."

To enforce in the various States an unpopular summary law by Federal authority and Federal officials would be so vicious in practice, so contrary to the spirit of American Institutions, that none but the most fanatical prohibitionists could endorse it. But even such a fanatic should be given pause by a little reflection on the sinister precedent that would be established by such an enforcement of such a law. The history of the world down to

the present time demonstrates that the belief that people always have indulged, and in all probability always will indulge in the use of alcoholic drinks. It is true that the use of wines and liquors when abused leads to lamentable consequences; yet the best of things are liable to abuse. Take the tongue for instance. We all know that the social and domestic joy and utility derived from conversation, and yet the bad use of the tongue leads daily to living and misrepresentation, to quarrels and slander, to bloodshed and often to murder. But would we be justified in putting a padlock on our mouths because of the occasional misuse of the tongue? We should regulate the use of our tongues, by proper safeguards and restraints.

"What I recommend is the passage of laws that look toward the inculcation in the people of habits of temperance. I am an advocate of high license, and laws connected with it rigidly enforcing regulations for the conduct of drinking places. There should be heavy fines imposed for infractions of the laws, and if the violations are not continued the license should be withdrawn absolutely."

"The American people already show a strong drift toward temperance, and I have no longer regarded either in society or industry with the good-natured tolerance that it was only a few years ago. Widespread health instruction in our schools, colleges, newspapers and magazines is another great power for good. Then, too, our industrial and commercial life has increased so in complexity and intensity that the man who drinks to excess is inevitably eliminated. "It is infinitely better for humanity if it is allowed to exercise its own will power rather than to attempt to drive it and regulate it by laws; we develop a higher type of man spiritually—a better citizen, a better neighbor, a better husband, a better father—by requiring him to use his own initiative in moral matters rather than by attempting to hold him constantly in legislative leading strings. "The history of the world can attest that we can attain national temperance, but I am firm in the belief that any enactment of a widespread prohibition measure is a long step backward."

### MARY'S MONTH.

May is the month dedicated to Mary, the Mother of God. It is a month of brightness and of flowers, a month of special devotion to her who is our advocate before the throne of our Divine Son. Let us then give her that honor which is her due. Let us join in a special manner in calling her blessed. May devotions will be held in all the churches and they should be attended. Our private devotions, too, should take on an increased fervor. The Rosary is the finest of all devotions and one which should be dear to every Catholic heart. What is more edifying than to see a family in which the Rosary is recited daily that the Mother of God may intercede for all members of the family circle? This is one of the good old customs of Catholic Ireland, and it is to be deplored that it is not more generally practiced in this country. No Catholic should be ashamed to carry the Rosary and to use it in public when occasion demands. How easy it is to pick the practical from the careless Catholic in this regard. Did you ever visit a death chamber in company with other Catholics and have some one suggest that the Rosary be recited for the soul of the departed? How out of place those Catholics must have felt who did not have a Rosary about them. It has been proven on many occasions that the Rosary is most pleasing to the Blessed Virgin. Its words, for the most part, have been chosen from the Bible. They are words inspired by God himself. That the Rosary is the greatest of devotions is the reverent pronouncement of the Holy Name of Jesus we well know, for Christ has said so, and his apostles have emphasized this fact. When we recite the Rosary we pronounce the Holy Name many times, each time gaining some special grace from God. The meditation of the mysteries is also most salutary, for who can permit their minds to dwell upon the sacred events in the lives of Jesus and Mary without experiencing an elevation of heart and mind to God. It requires no learning to recite the Rosary, but it requires great humility to recite it properly. A naive recitation of the words, a parrot-like mumbling of the formula will avail nothing. The Rosary is prayer, the loftiest kind of prayer, and we should offer it in a spirit of contrition and humility. It contains all the elements of genuine prayer, both vocal and mental, consisting as it does of acts of praise and adoration, thanksgiving and petition, coupled with meditation. The Rosary has been richly indulged by the church, and its indulgences are applicable to the faithful departed.

During the month of Mary recite the Rosary with devotion. Carry it on your person, and even while walking along the street you may recite it without attracting attention. This is one of the surest ways of overcoming temptation, of avoiding those occasions of sin which are to be encountered on every day. Join with the loving children of Mary and the devotees of the Sacred Heart in fulfilling the Holy Father's wish that we shall pray for the spread of the rosary devotion during the month of May.

### MANY OF THEM.

If it is true, as an eminent medical authority declares, that the wearing of too many clothes is detrimental to health, there are a great many fashionable women nowadays who have little occasion to fear sudden death. Their spiritual condition does not worry them.

## STRANGE

**Religious and Social Questions Must Be Answered in Near Future.**

**Greek Schism Presents Live Issue at Time of World's Crisis.**

**Pope Ardently Desires to Bring Back All Churches to Unity.**

### THE GREEK CHURCH OF TODAY

It may seem strange at first sight, at this time of crisis in the world's history, to speak of the Greek schism, and even to present it as a live issue and to connect with it the name of our Holy Father, Pope Benedict XV. Yet, as the Rev. George Calavassy in the April Catholic World. It will seem especially strange to those who do not realize what religious and social questions must be answered in the near future. This is precisely the time to consider certain problems, the solution of which is of the utmost importance in view of the great mission which awaits Christianity after this gigantic struggle of nations and peoples. Benedict XV, upon whose shoulders weighs the enormous burden of responsibility for the interests of the church and Christianity, is more than anyone else preoccupied with these problems, among which the return to unity of the Greek church is so closely connected with the millions of adherents, is of very great importance.

The Greek church of today, with its one hundred and ten or more millions of adherents, is divided into several autocephalous and independent churches, such as the Russian church, the Church of the Kingdom of Greece, the Church of Cyprus, the Bulgarian, Rumanian, Serbian and Montenegrin churches, and the Patriarchates of Constantinople, Alexandria, Antioch and Jerusalem. With the exception of the Patriarchates, all the other national churches are governed by a Synod under the control of the Government and independently of every other church, so that every church is so closely connected with the State that it serves as the most powerful instrument of the State for the preservation of national traditions and the realization of its aspirations. Inasmuch as the aspirations of all these national churches are extremely opposed to one another and continually in conflict with one another, it will be readily understood that it would be too much to expect the return to unity of the whole Greek church in a body. Having no direct union among themselves, and having opposite interests by the very fact of their being national churches, it is impossible that they should agree among themselves in order to reach a common conclusion.

But may it not be hoped that every one of these churches will accept the union by itself? It is earnestly to be hoped for, and it is most probable that the example of one would cause the others to follow it. But the question is very complex, because as I said above, with politics, as I said above, and it would be a difficult and delicate matter to analyze it at this time. Very much depends on the result of the war. Naturally the Catholic church can not lose sight of the fact that the schism has no motives other than political interests; in order to be permanent the union must be sincere and founded on supernatural motives. Nevertheless, it is certain that His Holiness Benedict XV ardently desires to bring back all the churches to unity, and very probably the commission will be charged with studying what can be done toward this end.

The Provincial Government of Russia has instructed the committee which is charged with the task of drawing up a constitution for "reorganized Poland" to make Catholicity the religion of the State. A proclamation has also been issued abolishing throughout Russia all disabilities and proscriptions on account of the creeds and nationalities of the persons affected. A third favorable omen is the release of the Most Rev. Archbishop Szeptycki, imprisoned under the old regime since the invasion of the city by the Czechs' forces. After the deposition of the Czar and his Government Cardinal Gasparri, Papal Secretary of State, sent an appeal to the Charge d'Affaires at the Russian Ministry to the Holy See, the result being the immediate release of Archbishop Szeptycki. He has now arrived in Petersburg. These happenings, the correspondent of the Catholic Press Association informs us, have been received with much satisfaction at the Vatican. The hope is generally entertained that the change of regime will bring about an improvement in the condition of the Catholic church in that vast country that has for so long outlawed the adherents of the church.

### PROGRESS REPORTED.

The meeting of the Catholic Orphan Society at St. Vincent's Home last Sunday afternoon was well attended and the reports showed that satisfactory progress was being made under the new officers. All the parish branches were represented and another added, that from

St. Ann's church, of which Rev. Father Hill is pastor. After a full and free discussion the work of the by-laws committee, who proposed a number of changes that will prove beneficial to the society and orphanage, was given unanimous approval. It is expected that several more branches will soon be founded and interest in the work of caring for the little ones become widespread.

### STARRY BANNER RAISED.

The greatest patriotic celebration yet held in Louisville was witnessed Tuesday afternoon, when the 400 pupils of St. Patrick's school, Sixteenth and Market, and about twenty 2,000 people of the parish stood at attention while a regimental bugler blew a salute and Old Glory was raised on a towering flagpole in the school yard by Major Benton Starks, of the Kentucky National Guard. Major Starks was escorted to the school by Joseph J. Hubbuch and William Silk, members of the congregation, and there received by E. J. O'Brien, who introduced him to the pastor, Father Cronin. In introducing the officer Father Cronin said:

"To be a 'slacker' is a sin for a Catholic. So-called Catholics may be, but no real Catholic can be a 'slacker,' for our faith makes response to duty a matter of conscience. The greatest of our country's patriots says, 'You can't legislate morals into mankind,' and Kentucky Democrats know that it would be foolish policy to commit the party to the programme prescribed by the new prohibition organization known as the Democratic Forward League, and which is now being controlled by the Irish-Beckhamites. No one realizes any more than the latter that absolute prohibition is an impossibility, but they are shrewd enough to know that with the cry of prohibition as an asset they may marshal enough of fanatics and satellites to secure control of the Democratic party and at the same time may throw out feelers to have a working agreement with the Republican prohibitionists. Judge O'Rear, the former Republican candidate for Governor, and Beckham worked together pretty harmoniously with their joint prohibition political lectures. Referring to the efforts of the Forward League, the following is taken from the Germantown News:

"The Kentucky Irish American is authority for the statement that thousands of little prohibition pamphlets are being sent out to members of Catholic fraternities, orders 'by the Irish-Beckham money representative in Louisville and the self-appointed spokesman for the Catholic church, the Catholic clergy and the Catholic people.' Who in the world can the Irish American mean by 'self-appointed spokesman'?" Perish the thought that it could be our old friend, Col. P. H. Callahan, but it evidently means him, for it speaks of gloss and varnish in the same connection. The news had thought all along that Col. Callahan knew his catechism better than that, to try to speak for the clergy as well as for Irish and Beckham. Let's hope it isn't so. But, really and seriously, is Col. Callahan a candidate for United States Senator?

In a gathering of Louisville Democrats the other day it was the consensus of opinion that the Brumleve candidacy for Mayor was making no headway, but that it was helping the local Democracy in a way by entering to make Charles Cronan a stronger candidate in the primary and attracting support from him after the primary. It was argued that if Mr. Cronan had continued to be the sole candidate in the primary, the most serious danger to the primary and much effort would be needed to put the boys on their toes for the general election. As it is, every card that Mr. Brumleve has issued and every meeting that has been held by his adherents has only served to make Mr. Cronan stronger, and the latter's supporters should have the kindest feelings for Mr. Brumleve, who although waging a hopeless fight is nevertheless blazing the way for a strong Cronan ticket in November. Speaking of the Brumleve ticket, many are amazed at the stupendous task allotted ex-Tax Receiver Charles Milliken, who is at work trying to secure a complete Brumleve ticket for the primary. Mr. Milliken has a reputation as a political diplomat, but to date he is up against it, so to speak, the majority of those whom he has approached turning a deaf ear to his entreaties, while some have gone as far as to say that if Mr. Milliken thinks so well of the possibilities of the Brumleve ticket why doesn't he accept one of the non-inclinations which may be had for the asking, and not continue in the attitude of 'letting George do it.' Main interest in the primary races still seems concentrated in the Sheriff's race, and while there are three entries, Messrs. Robertson, McNally and Woodruff, the contest seems to be between the first two. Mr. McNally is recognized as the Irish-Beckham choice, probably due to the fact that in 1914 he acted as Secretary, with Attorney Ed Humphrey as Chairman, of the Beckham campaign. Senator Robertson's support comes from all classes of the Louisville and Jefferson county Democracy because of sterling fights for every measure supported by the Louisville Democracy while in the Senate and Legislature. One of chief supporters who will be Chief Deputy in the event of his election is William McDevitt, a Democrat of strength not only in the West End, where he resides, but throughout the city and county.

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### BISHOP'S SILVER JUBILEE.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the consecration of Right Rev. Bishop Gabriel, of the Diocese of Ogdensburg, will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 8, with Pontifical mass in St. Mary's Cathedral. Owing to the ill health of the venerable prelate the celebration will lack much of the usual elaborations of those events in the Catholic church. The infirmities of age are beginning to enfeeble the Bishop, who is now unable to stand for any length of time, though in other ways he is in vigorous health. Bishop Gabriel was born in Flanders, Belgium, in 1833, and studied for the priesthood at the famous Louvain University. He was ordained in 1861 and soon afterward embarked for America. For many years he served as President of St. John's Provincial Seminary, Troy, of which he was one of the founders. He was called from that position to the bishopric of Ogdensburg. He was installed as Bishop of Ogdensburg in that city May 11, 1892. The entire city greeted the distinguished prelate upon his arrival in Ogdensburg. In 1911 Bishop Gabriel celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

### EUCHINE AND LOTTO.

The ladies of St. Patrick's congregation will entertain Monday night with another of their pleasant parties in the old school hall, Thirtieth and Market. Those who will have charge are Misses Mary Greaney, Nellie Welch, Willetta Kacelin and Mrs. A. C. Canova. Play will begin at 8 o'clock.

## DEMOCRATS

**Not Enthusiased Over Prohibition Platform of the Forward League.**

**Regarded in Main as Only Political Subterfuge of Political Aspirants.**

**Ben Brumleve's Candidacy Making Great Gains For Charles Cronan.**

### SHERIFF'S RACE IS INTERESTING

Kentucky Democrats and men of all political beliefs will readily agree with the sensible and logical views of prohibition, as expounded by Cardinal Gibbons and printed in these columns today. As the disinterested writer says, "You can't legislate morals into mankind," and Kentucky Democrats know that it would be foolish policy to commit the party to the programme prescribed by the new prohibition organization known as the Democratic Forward League, and which is now being controlled by the Irish-Beckhamites. No one realizes any more than the latter that absolute prohibition is an impossibility, but they are shrewd enough to know that with the cry of prohibition as an asset they may marshal enough of fanatics and satellites to secure control of the Democratic party and at the same time may throw out feelers to have a working agreement with the Republican prohibitionists. Judge O'Rear, the former Republican candidate for Governor, and Beckham worked together pretty harmoniously with their joint prohibition political lectures. Referring to the efforts of the Forward League, the following is taken from the Germantown News:

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bowled over by the machine, and nothing remains but for the machine leaders to select running mates for Undertaker John Maas, who will be the Republican nominee for Mayor. It is rumored that the departure of thousands of negroes for other fields of employment is worrying the Republican bosses quite a great deal, as the negro vote comprises 70 per cent. of the Republican vote in a general election.

### CATHOLIC LOYALTY.

In pledging the Catholic church of the United States to the support of the Federal Government the Catholic Archbishops who met under the chairmanship of Cardinal Gibbons at Washington and adopted the text of a letter of loyalty to President Wilson were expressing the thought that is in the hearts and minds of the Catholics of this country. The letter of the Archbishops to the President is not a long document, just a few paragraphs, but every paragraph breathes devotion to the Government and the immortal principles for which it stands. The Catholics held up the hands of Washington in his time of trial and they have held up the hands of his successors in that great office when they were beset by armed hosts on the field of battle and traitors at home. The church has flourished mightily in the United States of America, and there were no other motive than gratitude to the Government that put no obstacles in the way of the church ministering to her people and training her children in her own schools the church would be a supporter of the Government of the United States. But the reasons for Catholic support of the Government of the United States are found in the teachings of Catholic theology and Catholic doctrine and not in the whims and opinions of men. Obedience to lawful authority is one of the maxims of the Catholic doctrine. It is preached in the Catholic church. In the Catholic school and in the Catholic home and is a part of the very life of the Catholic people. It is the Catholic doctrine of obedience to all lawful authority that makes of the Catholic people of this country such a mighty tower of strength in times when lawful authority is attacked.

In the letter that they sent to President Wilson the Archbishops said that in thus acting they were loyal to the traditions that had existed between the Catholic church and the United States since the foundation of the Government. To read such words as these, declares the Toledo Record, and to know that they are as true as Holy Writ, must thrill the soul of the Catholic American citizen and steel his heart to meet any sacrifice for his Government that the future may hold.

### IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIAL.

With beautiful and impressive ceremonies the cornerstone of Holy Rosary Academy auditorium on Fourth avenue, was laid Sunday afternoon. Holy Rosary Academy is conducted by the Dominican Sisters, and with this addition will rank among the most complete educational institutions in the South. The foundation walls were surrounded by a large gathering of people, and after the stone had been placed in position by Rev. Father T. L. Crowley, O. P., Prior of St. Louis Bertrand, preached an eloquent and feeling sermon, giving praise to the Sisters and also the mothers who had parted with their sons for the defense of our country. His words made a deep and lasting impression. Following a musical selection by St. Louis Bertrand's choir the children of the parish sang "The Star Spangled Banner." The benediction was given by Father Crowley, assisted by Father E. A. Baxter, O. P., and Father R. G. Lyons, O. P.

### CALLED TO REWARD.

A well known and highly esteemed family of Louisville has been called to the loss of a beloved member Sunday afternoon, when Peter J. Gosman, father-in-law of Alderman B. J. Campbell, died at his residence, 2307 Garland avenue. Mr. Gosman was born in Pennsylvania seventy-three years ago and was a very useful and exemplary life. While a young man he moved to Jasper, Ind., and served eight years as County Clerk of Dubois county. Twenty-four years ago he came to Louisville and has since been a resident here, for some years being a Supervisor under the Board of Public Works and popular with the city officials and employees. Surviving him are five sons, John H. Henry P. James G., Edward P., and Frank A. Gosman, all of Louisville; and four daughters, Mrs. B. J. Campbell, Mrs. D. E. Hollender, and Mrs. J. A. Casper, of Louisville, and Mrs. William Meriwether, of Indianapolis, Ind. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from St. Peter's church, of which he was a valued member.

### MACKIN COUNCIL.

The members of Mackin Council were treated to a very interesting meeting last Monday evening when the Entertainment Committee had for its programme a debate between George J. Thornton, upholding the affirmative side, and William A. Link, the negative side. The subject being "Resolved, That Government Ownership of Railroads be Adopted." After the debaters had hotly contested their arguments the judges' decision was two for the affirmative and one for the negative. Preparations are being made for the summer outings, which are given by the council and are looked forward to by the members with impatience. George Becker was reported sick at the meeting, while Dan W. Quiff was reported well.

## GEORGIA

**Non-Catholic Confederate Approves Comrades For Showing Bigotry.**

**Declares Catholics Ever Champions of Constitutional Liberty.**

**Commends Daughters of Confederacy Who Invited Bishop Kelley.**

### OBJECTIONS ARE DEPRICATED

One excellent effect has resulted from the recent exhibition of bigotry on the part of the Southern Confederates who objected to the invitation extended by the Daughters of the Confederacy to Bishop Kelley to be the speaker at the Confederate Memorial day celebration. It has roused the angry resentment of the fair-minded and brought forth remarkable tributes of appreciation of the part Catholics have played in the history of our country even from those not of our faith. One such tribute is that given by T. P. Oglesby in an address delivered before the Confederate Veterans Association of Savannah, in which he maintained the propriety of the choice of Bishop B. J. Kelley by the Daughters of the Confederacy as orator on the Confederate Memorial day in Macon. He warmly commended the action of the women who refused to yield to the intolerant demand of the bigots who protested against the invitation. Mr. Oglesby prefaced his address by saying "I am not a Catholic, and so far as I know none of my ancestors were and none of my kindred are Catholics." Referring to the unfortunate incident at Macon the speaker said in part:

"It would be hard to find a more faithfully astounding instance of the effect of religious prejudice and intolerance, and a more palpable ignorance or obliviousness, or ignoring of facts that should have made it impossible, than is shown in this protest, and no more fitting occasion than this can be found for a statement of some of those facts that should be known and remembered by every American, and especially by every Confederate veteran, and every descendant of a Confederate."

After setting forth the provisions of the constitution guaranteeing equal rights and religious liberty to all, and quoting words of Washington illustrative of his attitude toward the Catholics of his time, Mr. Oglesby concluded by saying: "The truth of history overwhelmingly refutes the imputation that profession of the Roman Catholic faith is incompatible with loyalty to American principles of government; and, as he clearly has stated, show the peculiar appropriateness of the choice of the Macon Daughters of the Confederacy for orator of an occasion in honor of the memory of those sons of the South who died for those principles in the war between the States of every one of whom it can be said, as truly as Gen. Lee said of Paul J. Semmes, 'He died discharging the highest duty of a patriot.' History shows that there are no more devoted advocates, no sturdier defenders of constitutional liberty, as they have been transmitted to us through the great charter and the American constitution, than have been found in the ranks of those professing that faith—the faith of Stephen Langston of Maryland, and of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, and of Chief Justice Taney, and of the present Chief Justice, Edward D. White; and of that great Judge, William Gaston, of North Carolina, whose name and memory are revered in that State by Protestant and Catholic alike. It shows that the Confederate cause, which itself was the cause of constitutional liberty, had no more ardent sympathizers, nor more eloquent advocates than were to be found in those same ranks; and no doubt of his reality to those principles and to that cause can find lodgement in the mind of any who know that true American, that loyal Southerner, that golden-hearted Christian gentleman—Bishop Benjamin Kelley."

Following this address the veterans' camp unanimously adopted a set of resolutions concerning in the invitation of Bishop Kelley and in deprecating all previous objections thereto.

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### URGE HOME RULE.

A cablegram urging a settlement of the Irish problem was sent to Premier Lloyd George Saturday night by 200 Representatives in Congress, headed by Speaker Champ Clark. There is great interest in this country in the situation, and the Irish home rule question has been discussed by American officials with members of the British Commons mission now visiting the United States. In the message they said: "May we, members of the American Congress, suggest that nothing will add more to the enthusiasm of America in this war than a settlement now of the Irish problem. We believe that all Americans will be greatly stirred and their enthusiastic effort enlisted if the British empire will now settle this problem in accordance with the principles announced by President Wilson in his address to Congress."

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## INNER CIRCLE.

It would have been the proper thing for our Board of Education to have selected Ben W. Kling to fill the vacancy in that board, principally because of the fact that he was the choice of 16,000 voters in the last election, but unfortunately he is not a favorite of the small inner circle who select our school representatives.

## IDEAL PATRIOT.

The citizens of Chicago are up in arms over the actions of Mayor Thompson, who has sidestepped the war issue, refusing to back up the President and delivered treasonable remarks concerning the war policy of the United States. Once again our contention is proven. In the last Mayoralty election in Chicago Thompson was elected on a wave of bigotry, being the choice of the Junior Order, Guardians of Liberty and other A. P. A. patriots, who the Sunday preceding the election distributed circulars at every Protestant church door in Chicago, urging all to vote for Thompson because his opponent was a Catholic. It is but just retribution to Chicago for listening to the bigots, and a lesson Mayor of the fake patriots is a just punishment.

## DUCK THE TEST.

The True Voice also notes the great falling off in the activities of pseudo patriotic organizations since the war with Germany began. We have not heard that the Knights of Luther have volunteered for service in the war. Nor have the Guardians of Liberty urged their members to enlist to fight against Germany. The Stoneham and the P. A. have been equally silent regarding their duty to the country. The nation is calling for volunteers, but the "patriotic" bodies which have been very active for the past four or five years do not seem to have heard of the matter.

It is times like these that test the metal of which patriots are made. The vociferous anti-Catholic societies which paraded their false patriotism on every occasion recently have now sunk out of sight. Their eagerness to save the country, has suddenly vanished when there is an opportunity for real service. Their patriotism was only a pretense. Now that the hour of trial has come the sham patriots are nowhere to be found.

The silent departure of these cockroach organizations will not be mourned by decent citizens. Their professions of loyalty were loud, but as usual their performance has been nil. They were long on words. No one ever expected them to defend the country that sheltered them. They had merely selfish ends in view when they pretended to be patriots. They are only living up to their past records when they shrink from their country's service.

How different the record of the Catholic institutions which they have maligned! All over the country Catholic hospitals have been placed at the disposal of the Government as far as may be needed. Catholic Sisters are offering their services as nurses. Catholic men are volunteering. Catholic colleges are doing their part nobly in furnishing trained men in the hour of their country's need. It takes a test to show who are the patriots and who the pretentious. The test has come to America and the exhibition is on. There will be more of it.

## READY TO YIELD.

It is an open secret that Lord Northcliffe, the editor and owner of the London Times and Daily Mail, is the mouthpiece rather than the originator of the policies which he champions, and that those policies represent the secret designs of the Tory party of which he is the most conspicuous member. When therefore Lord Northcliffe suggests to Irish-Americans to use their influence with the President to induce him to insist on the British Government putting the home rule act in operation at once, it may be taken for granted that the Tories are ready to yield to pressure of that kind. It would be a way out of a dilemma which would save their face. Besides the Tories know that in any peace court British professions of a desire to see even-handed justice done to the small nations will be heavily discounted as long as the case of Ireland remains unsettled, and consequently Britain's claims in the arrangement of terms

will receive much less consideration than she would wish, even from her allies. While, as has already been said, the espousal of the cause of the Allies by the United States has destroyed Ireland's chance of having her case brought before the peace court, it nevertheless has put the United States in a position where she can without any violation of international etiquette insist on the home rule act being put in force at once, for it is a duty she owes to herself to see that the ally for whom she has drawn the sword shall leave nothing undone to strengthen her (the ally's) moral position before the world. It is to be hoped the President will rise to his opportunity to do an inestimable service to an ancient nation and its long-suffering people.

## ENCOURAGING.

In an important speech in London on Saturday Premier Lloyd George discussed a number of important problems, making the following encouraging reference to Ireland:

"We must convert Ireland from a suspicious, surly, dangerous neighbor to a cheerful, loyal comrade. Settlement of the Irish question is essential for the peace of the world and essential to a speedy victory in the war. I appeal to the patriotism of all men to sink everything for the one purpose of getting this question out of the way."

Accorded right and justice Ireland would become England's most valued asset.

## "SLACKERS."

Father Vaughan, the well known English Jesuit, in making an appeal for recruits to the army, thus classifies the mass of the people:

"An empire is made up of four classes of men; of heroes, who are on the alert to signalize themselves in the service of their country; of patriots, who are ready to go where duty calls them; of slackers, who are 'come-and-fetch-me' fellows, and of shirkers, who make up the 'catch-me-if-you-can' tramps."

Of course we want "the survival of the fittest," but under a volunteer system the heroes and the patriots are first to go to the front, and half of them are killed. The slackers are conscripted later, when most of the fighting is over and most of the heroes and patriots are killed off. Peace is restored and the slackers and shirkers return and propagate. This is not following the law of the survival of the fittest. For weeks there has been an animated discussion as to the raising of an army of 500,000 men by calling for volunteers or by conscription, which has been ended by adoption of the latter plan. The matter would not be of vital importance if the army required did not exceed 500,000, and the war was to be short and no further levies required. But for a long war and a large army conscription is the only fair and effective plan. Government is supported not by volunteer subscriptions, but by conscripted levies called taxation. Government must be defended in the same systematic way.

## MUST COME.

If the proposal to establish a two-plateau system for Portland firemen is viewed as a question of morals there is but one answer possible. It is shocking to think of men kept on duty twenty-one hours a day. It is not permitted in other lines of work and ought not to be countenanced by the people of Portland in the fire department.

The above, from the Catholic Sentinel, follows strictly what the Kentucky Irish American has advocated for years. Not only the metropolis of Oregon, but the large cities of many States, are advancing toward the two-plateau system. Firemen are human and should have opportunity for home life and recreation. Louisville should be among the first to make this long needed change.

The New York Legislature will soon take rank with others for enacting nonsensical laws. The Senate has voted the cat licensing bill. The measure would require all cats to be tagged at a cost of thirty-five cents a year and would permit the killing of all unlicensed cats. This will be welcome news for our Alderman Oeder.

## CARDINAL FARLEY.

In his episcopal career Cardinal Farley has consecrated twenty-one Bishops.



NATHAN KAHN

Nathan Kahn, candidate for re-election as Prosecuting Attorney of the Police Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party, is receiving much encouragement from his fellow-Democrats, who believe that his successful administration deserves an indorsement at the hands of the voters. Last November Mr. Kahn for re-election, and though a Presidential year, which is a handicap in city elections, Mr. Kahn's vote compared favorably with President Wilson's.

## COMING EVENTS.

May 10—Oakland Club euchre and lotto, afternoon and evening, Eagles' Hall, 812 South Second.

May 14-15—May festival, candy pulling and lotto party for Sacred Heart school, afternoon and evening, in school hall, Seventeenth and Broadway.

May 28.—May day social, Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Ann's church, afternoon and evening.

July 4—Catholic Orphan Society picnic on St. Vincent's Orphanage grounds.

July 25—Annual picnic for St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, on orphanage grounds, Frankfort avenue.

## SOCIETY.

Thomas J. Duffy was a sojourner at West Baden Springs this week.

Mrs. J. T. Mudd, of Evansville, Ind., has been the guest of Mrs. L. McCloy.

Mrs. Fred Ferry has been entertaining Miss Olivia Fallon, of Cloverport.

Major Pat Ridge, Night Chief of Police, is recovering rapidly from a sick spell.

Mrs. Charles Young had as her guest last week Miss Elizabeth Brown, of Bloomfield.

Miss Mary Hogan spent several days last week visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. J. Coyle, at New Haven.

Mrs. Frank O'Connor has returned after a visit of several weeks with relatives in Eastern New York.

Barney Shine, of Marion, Ind., is visiting his son, John H. Shine, and family, the Fawcett Place, New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Carney have as their guest Mrs. Crowley, of Freeport, Ill., mother of Mrs. Carney.

Misses Eva and Emma Nalley, of New Haven, were here for a week and visit with their brother, Bert Nalley.

C. P. Dooley has returned from Columbus, Ind., where he visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. James Dooley.

Mrs. James W. Kinnarney, of 618 East Broadway, has just returned from a two weeks' visit to Martinsville.

Miss Eva Heffernan has returned after spending several weeks with her sister, Miss Viola Heffernan, in Winona, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Kolb returned the first of the week from Cincinnati, where they attended the Caruso concert.

Miss Mary Alice Mooney, of Cincinnati, has been spending the week in Shelbyville, the guest of Mrs. Ed D. Shinnick.

A dress suit dance will be given for the members of the Knights of Columbus at the club house next Tuesday evening.

Harry A. Veenneman, of the Post-office, has recovered from his recent illness and will soon be able to report for duty.

Miss Blanche Campton, who was ill at St. Mary of the Knobs, was removed to St. Edward's Hospital, New Albany, this week.

Miss Emma Doherty, of Lakeland, spent the week-end as the guest of Misses Mary and Katherine Foley, East Elm street, New Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gill, John Gill and Frank Gill, who were guests of relatives in Jeffersonville, have returned to their home in Indianapolis.

Andrew Kramer and bride, who was Miss Lena Gill, will return from their wedding trip the first of the week and will make their home in Jeffersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. McElliot are expected home from Martinsville

next week. Mr. McElliot having greatly improved from his rheumatic attack.

Mrs. Martha Coomes announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Olive Ann Coomes, to Edward R. Kolb in the parlors of St. Mary's church at Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Echsner announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Antoinette C. Echsner, to Alrich J. Ebers. Their marriage will be solemnized in June.

Mrs. George T. Kinnarney, wife of Deputy Sheriff Kinnarney, is rapidly recovering from the effects of an operation which she underwent at St. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital Monday.

The wedding of Miss Charlotte Lee McCloy and Karl Porrest was solemnized on Wednesday evening of last week at St. Frances of Rome church, the Rev. Thomas W. White officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Talbot, of Jeffersonton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Talbot, to Frank J. Zehnder. The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. Walter E. Glover and brother, William L. Casey, returned Monday from New York, where they went to attend the wedding of Mrs. Glover's daughter, Miss Antoinette Glover, and Petro de Cordoba, which took place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Goring announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Rose Goring, to Milton Lyons Church. The wedding was solemnized January 30, 1917, the Rev. Eugene Donohoe officiating. They are at home to their friends at 434 East St. Catherine street.

Her many friends will be rejoiced to learn that Mrs. David J. Whalen, who underwent an operation at St. Joseph's infirmary, is now convalescent and pronounced out of danger. Her physician and family are hopeful that she may be able to be removed to her home on West Broadway some time next week.

Tim D. Lyons announces the marriage of his daughter, Miss Mary Corinne Lyons, to Edward H. Von Roenn, which was solemnized April 30 at the Cathedral. Rev. Father Rock performing the ceremony. The wedding was quiet and the news will be a surprise to the many friends of the bride and groom, who are well known.

Dr. J. A. Casper, the well known dentist, and Miss Emma K. Gossman gave their friends a surprise when announcement was made of their marriage, which was solemnized Saturday morning with a nuptial mass at St. Peter's church. Rev. Father Edmund Kaiser performing the ceremony. Their many friends are extending congratulations.

The marriage of Miss Jane E. Best and Joseph H. McGrath was quietly solemnized Monday at 7 o'clock at St. Louis Bertrand church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. L. Crowley, O. P. Miss Sarah Jane Slaughter was maid of honor and Joseph Howard Best, brother of the bride, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. McGrath left Monday afternoon for Chicago, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Erwin, 1827 Bardstown road, have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Thelma Erwin, to Elmore Collier, which will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at St. Francis of Assisi church, Rev. Father Rothert performing the ceremony. Both bride and groom have a wide acquaintance and the wedding will be of great interest. Following the ceremony there will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents.

## FATHER FRANK MARTIN.

Rev. Frank Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Martin, and a member of St. John's congregation, who has been studying for several years at Baltimore, will be ordained for the priesthood the latter part of next month. The ceremony will take place at St. Mary Magdalen church and will be performed by Right Rev. Denis O'Donoghue, Bishop of Louisville.

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## RECENT DEATHS.

The funeral of Joseph L. Audriot was held Monday morning from the home of his aunt, Mrs. Catherine Tharp, 1820 Tyler avenue, with requiem mass at St. Patrick's church. Deceased was the son of Mrs. Cecelia Audriot and was a popular and well known resident of the West End.

Sunday afternoon the funeral of John Crilly, aged thirty-five and a well known resident of the West End, was held from St. Patrick's church. Deceased was the son of John and Catherine Crilly, 1840 Tyler avenue, and leaves one sister, Heart disease caused his death.

St. Elizabeth's church lost another of its faithful members by the death of August Fow, whose funeral took place Monday morning. For years he was with the Kentucky Wagon Works and resided at 1112 Mulberry street. Surviving him are his wife, Mrs. Louise Fow, and four sons and a daughter, for whom many feel great sympathy.

Miss Anna Morris, aged thirty-six, died Tuesday morning at her home, 1708 Magazine street, resulting from illness that developed several months ago. She was a member of the Sacred Heart church, and leaves two sisters, Mrs. M. Drassel and Miss Della Morris, and two brothers, B. L. and Dennis Morris. The funeral was held Thursday morning, Rev. Patrick Walsh celebrating the requiem high mass.

## CEDAR GROVE MUSICALS.

A musical entertainment will be given tomorrow afternoon by the pupils of Cedar Grove Academy in the academy hall, Thirty-fifth and Rudd avenue. The entertainment will begin at 2:30 o'clock.

## ORPHAN ENTERTAINMENT.

The ladies of the Orphan Society are arranging a dinner and entertainment for the orphans of St. Thomas and St. Vincent's Asylum in the latter's home on Sunday afternoon and evening, May 20. It is intended to bring the boys of St. Thomas' in automobiles, and Councilman Thomas Polan will gladly receive the donation of the use of autos for that afternoon.

## WHAT THEY MEAN.

The three days immediately preceding Ascension Thursday, May 14, 15 and 16, are called Rogation days. While we all may be acquainted with the holy days of obligation, very few of us understand what are Rogation days. The word "rogation" comes from the Latin word "Rogari," meaning to ask, and therefore Rogation days are three days of prayer in which we ask for the blessing of Almighty God upon the fields and crops. About the season of the year that Rogation days come the farmers have sowed their wheat and corn in order that the people of earth might have food. If the crops fail there is hunger and many other privations. By asking God with our prayers on the Rogation days to

## VOTE FOR



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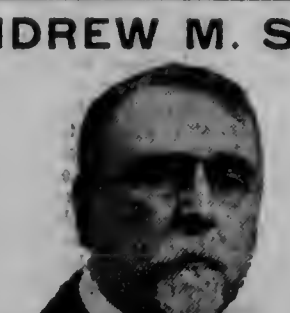


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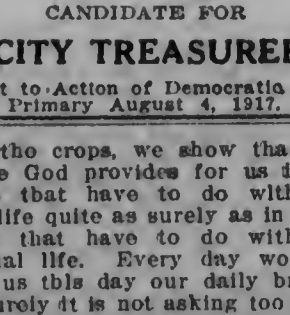
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**GENERAL INTENTION.**  
The general intention for the  
prayers of the members of the  
League of the Sacred Heart for May  
as recommended by our Holy  
Father, Pope Benedict XV., is "So-  
lidity of the Blessed Virgin."  
Through the devotion to the  
Blessed Virgin, "and with the pro-  
tection of so good a mother, it  
seeks to make the faithful gathered  
together under her name good  
Catholics sincerely bent on sanc-  
tifying themselves, each in his state  
of life and zealous, as far as their  
condition in life permits, to save  
and sanctify their neighbor and to  
defend the Church of Jesus Christ  
against the attacks of the wicked."

**DIOCESE AREA IMMENSE.**  
The diocese of Salt Lake, al-  
though it has a population of only  
15,000, is the largest in area in  
America. Territorially it is as com-  
prehensive as England, Ireland, Scot-  
land, Wales and Portugal. Its area  
includes 82,190 square miles in  
Utah and 71,678 square miles in  
Nevada, a total of 153,768 square  
miles.

# NEW LOUISVILLE JOCKEY CLUB SPRING MEETING

Twelve Days' Racing, Beginning Derby Day, Saturday, May 12, and Ending on Ken-  
tucky Oaks Day, Friday, May 25.

THE GREAT DERBY, RUNS SATURDAY, MAY 12.

Debutante Stakes, May 14. Bashford Manor Stakes, May 16. Clark Handicap, May 19.  
Juvenile Stakes, May 21. Frank Fehr Stakes, May 23. Kentucky Oaks, May 25.  
SEVEN HIGH CLASS RACES EACH DAY. FIRST RACE RUN AT 2:30 P. M.

## BENEFIT OF CHAMPS.

A euchre and lotto will be given  
next Friday evening for the bene-  
fit of the Champs ball team of the  
Twin City League in St. Charles  
Hall, Twenty-seventh and Chestnut  
streets, and following the euchre  
and lotto a dance will be given in  
the Champs' hall.

## CHESTERFIELD EXCURSION.

A moonlight excursion, one of the  
first of the season, will be given on  
the beautiful steamer Island Queen  
next Thursday evening, May 10,  
under the auspices of the Chester-  
field Minstrels, the boat leaving the  
foot of Fourth street at 8:30  
o'clock. There will be dancing with  
an augmented orchestra, and the  
Committee of Arrangements promise  
a pleasant evening for their guests.

## FLAG PRESENTATION.

Inspired by the wave of patriot-  
ism sweeping over the country, the  
children of St. Cecilia's school will  
present a large American flag to  
that institution next Monday after-  
noon, the exercises to begin at 2  
o'clock. The Altar Society have  
also arranged a euchre and lotto  
for the same afternoon and for the  
same evening. The games in the  
evening will be called at 8:15  
o'clock.

## GIVEN GOOD START.

The initial meeting to arrange  
for the annual Fourth of July cele-  
bration for the benefit of St. Vin-  
cent and St. Thomas Orphan Asy-  
lums was held Monday night in the  
Knights of Columbus hall, and the  
interest manifested augurs well for  
this year's success. Father Charles  
P. Raffo and others made stirring  
talks and many new features were  
suggested, and these will be acted  
on at later meetings, which are to  
be held regularly. A number of  
committees were named and work  
will begin at once.

## HAD GREAT DAY.

The annual celebration of the St.  
Joseph Orphan Society and enter-  
tainment for the children of St.  
Joseph's Home was held Sunday  
afternoon and was a most gratifying  
success. The orphans, looking bright  
and happy, were met at St. Boni-  
face Hall by Lieut. Maloney and a  
platoon of mounted police, the  
School of Reform Band, Knights of  
St. John, Catholic Knights of Amer-  
ica and St. Joseph Orphan Society  
and given military escort to St. Jo-  
seph's church, where there was so-  
lemn vespers and sermon. Follow-  
ing this the children were feasted  
and entertained in the school hall  
of St. Joseph's parish.

## COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN.

The newly elected officers of the  
Queen's Daughters met with the  
President, Mrs. J. C. Murphy, and  
elected the following Chairmen of  
standing committees: Membership,  
Mrs. John H. Buschmeyer; Visi-  
tation, Mrs. Matthew O'Doherty;  
Juvenile Court, Mrs. Thomas A.  
Mapother; Educational, Miss Kath-  
erine May Hines; Junior Circle,  
Miss Elizabeth Hayes; Press, Miss  
Alice Hayes. The Chairman will  
select the members of their commit-  
tees at once.

**ZBYSCKO VS. OLIN.**  
The winner of the big wrestling  
bout next Friday evening is sure to  
be matched with Caddock for the  
championship and local wrestling  
fans are divided in their support of  
both Olin and Zbyzsko, the latter  
being the favorite because of his  
record, but Olin has many support-  
ers because of his victory over  
Steecher. Followers of the wrestling  
game here still believe Stecher at  
his best the peer of all the wrestlers  
and would like to see the winner  
of the bout next Friday night  
matched with Stecher. It is hard  
to believe that Caddock or Olin  
could beat Stecher if the latter is in  
shape.

## ACTION NOW NEEDED.

The tremendous rise in foodstuffs  
during the last few weeks has made  
Government control of prices a very  
practical question. While the Gov-  
ernment should interfere as little  
as possible with trade, events of  
the past year have clearly shown  
that some action must be taken to  
protect the people from the greed  
of food speculators. That some ac-  
tion will be taken there is little  
doubt. Conditions have reached a  
point where action can not be post-  
poned much longer.

## BISHOP MATZ VISITS.

The Right Rev. Nicholas C. Matz,  
Bishop of Denver, who for a long  
time has been ill, last week trav-  
eled by automobile from St. An-  
thony's Hospital to Loretto Heights  
Academy, in order to congratulate  
the Sisters of Loretto on the at-  
tainment of the silver jubilee of  
the school.

## REFLECTS ON RELIGION.

The Rev. Charles E. Deas, pas-  
tor of the Unitarian Church of the  
Unity at Worcester, Mass., resigned  
Sunday morning because his parish-  
ioners insisted on raising an Ameri-  
can flag over the choir loft. Al-  
though an ex-militarist and mili-  
tary chaplain, he is an ardent and  
prominent pacifist. He had pre-  
sented an ultimatum two weeks  
ago predicting his resignation if  
the flag went up.

## SAM L. ROBERTSON



CANDIDATE FOR  
**SHERIFF**  
OF JEFFERSON COUNTY  
Subject to Action of Democratic Party.  
Primary August 4, 1917.

## JOS. A. LUDWIG



CANDIDATE FOR  
**COUNTY COMMISSIONER**  
If nominated and elected I promise to  
devote my time to the duties of the office  
and further the interests of the people.  
Subject to Action of Democratic Party.  
Primary August 4, 1917.

## FRANK DACHER



CANDIDATE FOR  
**CITY TREASURER**  
Subject to Action of Democratic Party.  
Primary August 4, 1917.

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tin.  
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Broderick.  
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Sergeant-at-Arms—Pat Berkey.  
Sentinel—Thomas Noon.

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Bertrand Hall, Sixth street.  
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Vice President—John J. Barry.  
Financial Secretary—Thomas J.  
Langan, 807 West Oak.  
Recording Secretary—William P.  
McDonogh.  
Treasurer—John F. Burke.  
Sergeant-at-Arms—Thomas Dig-  
nan.  
Sentinel—M. J. McDermott.

## LOSE IN VOTE.

As was predicted last summer,  
the Socialist vote of 1916 was less  
than that of 1912—nearly 20 per-  
cent. Less despite the fact that  
women voted for President in ten  
States. Over 100,000 Socialists  
voted for Justice Hughes for Presi-  
dent.

## THRIFT MAXIMS.

Nothing waste, nothing want.  
Thrift is an antidote against  
anxiety for the future.  
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and plans for the future days.  
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values and keeps tab on expendi-  
tures.  
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small losses are underrated by the  
thrifty.  
To postpone to afternoon what  
should be done in the morning is  
thriflessness of management.

## REOBLIGATION.

The Holy Trinity Total Abstin-  
ance Society of New Albany will  
hold its annual reobligation serv-  
ice at Holy Trinity church tomor-  
row afternoon. The Rev. Richard  
Murphy, of St. Anthony's church,  
of Louisville, will deliver the ad-  
dress.

## WOMEN'S RETREAT.

Tomorrow morning the Rev.  
Richard Murphy, O. M. C. of this  
city, will open a week's retreat at  
St. Mary's church, New Albany, for  
the women of the congregation and  
city. Services will be held both  
morning and evening.

## KNIGHTS AND LADIES.

The Catholic Knights and Ladies  
of America had a rousing meeting  
Tuesday night in St. Charles Hall,  
when a hearty reception was ten-  
dered Supreme President Marr and  
Supreme Secretary Hayes. Rev.  
Father Raffo, Supreme Spiritual Di-  
rector, presided and introduced the  
visiting officers, who spoke encour-  
agingly on the standing and out-  
look of the order. All present were  
treated to a delectable luncheon. Thurs-  
day night a reception and dance in  
their honor was held at the Tyler  
Hotel.

## COVINGTON.

The Federated Catholic Benev-  
olent Societies of Covington will  
hold their annual celebration and  
parade tomorrow afternoon. There  
will be four divisions headed by  
Grand Marshal George Linnemann  
and staff, the City Commissioners,  
a detail of police and the following  
societies: Knights of St. John,  
Knights of St. Edward, Knights of  
St. George, St. George and St.  
Bernard Benevolent Societies, St.  
Andrew and St. John Benevolent  
Societies, St. Augustine, St. Joseph  
and St. Benedict Societies. The  
celebration will conclude with serv-  
ices at St. Joseph's church imme-  
diately after the parade.

## SISTER FORTY YEARS.

Sister Mary Ambrose, for forty  
years Secretary-General of the  
Order of Providence, the mother house  
of which is at St. Mary's-of-the-  
Woods, near Terre Haute, died  
Monday. For forty years she had  
the business direction of the insti-  
tution and the affairs of the order  
and was widely known. Her death  
is a distinct loss to the Sisters of  
Providence.

## SUFFER FROM STRESS.

In the present times of stress the  
Catholic press is sure to suffer  
unless the Catholics rally to its  
support. Catholic newspapers have  
rendered inestimable services to the  
Catholic cause, and the time has  
come when Catholic readers must  
show their gratitude. The cost of  
publication has almost doubled dur-  
ing the past two years, and threat-  
ens to be further increased before  
the war is over. Most publications  
are hardly able to carry the added  
burden, and unless a united effort  
to assist them is made many able  
periodicals will sink under the  
weight. Do your part in the great  
and good work!—ECHO.

## WORK FOR RED CROSS.

Red Cross work was begun last  
week by the girls sheltered in the  
House of the Good Shepherd at  
Chicago, under the direction of  
Miss Clara A. Cudahy, who sug-  
gested the plan, and other Red  
Cross workers. Methods of wrap-  
ping all outgoing bandages were  
demonstrated and the girls took up  
the work of doing their share to  
aid the nation with enthusiasm.  
Under the patronage of Archbishop  
George W. Mundelein a concert  
soon will be given to raise funds  
to carry on the project.

## URGENT APPEAL.

So numerous have been the re-  
quests from missionary priests for  
missals that the Catholic Church  
Extension Society is obliged to once  
more call the attention of priests  
better situated than the mission-  
aries to this great need. If you  
have an extra missal on hand, or  
know of someone who has, the Ex-  
tension Society would appreciate it  
very much if you would send it to  
them. The great scarcity of mis-  
sals in this country at the present  
time is due to the war in Europe.  
Missals may be sent to the Cath-  
olic Church Extension Society, 750  
McCormick building, Chicago, Ill.

## CUT FOR WAR.

To replace the enormous quan-  
tity of timber cut down for use in  
the war, Ireland is now engaged in  
replanting it. In one county al-  
one has planted 70,000 trees, and in  
other counties she is doing likewise.

## KEEN BUT TRUE.

As a keen observer recently re-  
marked, a woman who did not  
raise her boy to be a soldier is not  
entitled to protection from the son  
of a woman who did raise her boy  
to be a soldier.—Catholic Bulletin.

## FOR WOMAN'S EYE.

Gingham frocks have been rein-  
stated.  
For health wear heels as low as  
possible.  
Every corset should be fitted to  
the figure.

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pretty borders; size 9x12  
feet and worth \$10.00; on  
sale for.....\$8.75

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ble; can be used on either  
side; size 8.3x10.6; these are  
the best rugs for the price;  
special at.....\$6.50

Pro Lino; a new process floor  
covering that will outwear any  
printed linoleum; regu-  
lar price 50c; Monday, your  
choice of any pattern at, per  
square yard.....40c

Vacuum Cleaners; a three-bel-  
lows machine, with sweeper at-  
tachment; the suction is guar-  
anteed to be stronger than in  
most of the electric cleaners;  
priced for this week at.....\$6.00

Tapestry Brussels Rugs; seam-  
less rugs; in size 11.3x12 feet;  
these are an excellent value  
at.....\$24.50

Amminster Rugs; made of the  
best quality of the kind; pat-  
terns in soft, rich colors; size  
8x12 feet and priced regularly  
at \$36.50; on sale for.....\$28.50

Velvet Rugs; they are made  
seamless and shown in hand-  
some geometrical patterns;  
size 9x12 feet and worth  
regularly \$30.00; special  
at.....\$22.50

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Rugs; in the best fabrics of  
their kinds; size 11.3x12 feet;  
regular price \$45.00; special  
at.....\$38.50

Amminster Hearth Rugs; beau-  
tiful patterns in soft rich col-  
ors; size 27x54 inches and a  
splendid value at.....\$2.50

Velvet Rugs; attractive patterns  
in soft, rich colors; size 8.3x  
10.6, and made seamless; regu-  
lar price \$25.00; special  
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the waistline and fitted in with  
white muslin sleeves, would com-  
plete an admirable costume.

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with Roumanian gypsy ashes, col-  
lars and cuffs of plaid gingham,  
and buttons that carry out these  
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### ANNOUNCEMENT.



Competent legal authorities having declared that Dr. Ellis Duncan is ineligible for re-election to the office of Coroner of Jefferson County, according to Section 237 of the Constitution and Section 3744 of the Kentucky Statutes, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary, August 4, 1917, and solicit your vote and support.

DR. H. E. MECHLING.

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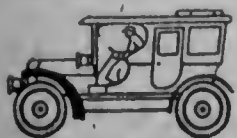
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### HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing the Past Week—General News Notes.

There will be no meetings this coming week.

Division 3 held its first meeting since the change of meeting dates last night.

Division 3 will reproduce the St. Patrick's day pictures at the Norman Theater.

Tomorrow Division 3 of Omaha will have a large class initiation and a good time.

Ohio Hibernians have elected James Mulligan President of the Franklin County Board.

Division 1 of Lakeview, Ore., has presented one Lake County Battalion a handsome flag.

The Hibernians of St. Paul will soon call for plans and specifications for their new hall building.

Councilman Tom Dolan will go to Ashland tomorrow and while there will call on the Hibernian division.

All but Division 5 have been amalgamated at Columbus, Ohio, the State Board approving this action.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Logansport, Ind., had a class initiation last week and enjoyable social session.

Councilman M. J. McDermott is receiving loyal support in his race for Ballot from members of the order.

St. Paul will soon launch another large class of new Hibernians, making the second class within a short period.

Tomorrow morning the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Paul will visit Holy Rosary church and receive holy communion.

Division 1, 2 and 6 attended mass at St. Patrick's church at St. Joseph, Mo., and received holy communion in a body.

The Hibernian ball team has proven popular in the Twin City League judging by the large number of rooters for the Irish boys.

Rev. Father Michael Donovan delivered the first of a series of addresses planned by Denver Hibernians for their coming meetings.

Three halls were used Monday night for the grand ball and automobile driving for the benefit of the new Hibernian Hall at St. Paul, Minn.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis will hold its initiation on May 20, and will be honored by the presence of the National President, Mrs. Mary J. McWhorter.

Hibernians and Knights of Columbus followed Archbishop Christie and many priests and made a splendid showing in the patriotic parade at Portland, Ore.

A resolution pledging loyalty to the United States and making an appeal to President Wilson to voice "demand for the freedom of Ireland," was unanimously adopted by the Milwaukee Hibernians.

President Walter E. Foley, of the Milwaukee division, has been empowered to appoint a committee of ten to study and ascertain ways and means by which the Hibernians can most effectively render service and assistance to the Government in its prosecution of the war.

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any girl except his mother during his 100 years of life. The funeral requiem mass was said by Rev. M. J. Houston, chaplain of the home.

#### WEDDING JUBILEE.

Sunday morning there was a large gathering of friends and celebration of high mass at St. Boniface church in honor of the silver wedding of Col. and Mrs. Joseph Blocker, whose marriage took place in 1892.

#### TWIN CITY LEAGUE.

The games in the Twin City League last Sunday afternoon were featured by old time slugging to the great delight of the spectators.

#### EDMUND A. STEINBOCK.

Popular and Efficient Secretary of the Twin City League.

#### SPRING RACING.

The spring racing meeting of the Louisville Jockey Club, which promises to surpass any in the history of Churchill Downs, opens with the Derby, the big race of the year, on Saturday, May 12, and continuing for twelve days. The entries embrace the star horses of the American turf, also many from Ireland, England and France. For weeks a large force of men have been making improvements at the Jockey Club and it now ranks as one of the most beautiful racing tracks in the world.

President Granger, Manager Matt Winn and Secretary Applegate have left nothing undone that would add interest and brilliancy to this meeting, inaugurated at Churchill Downs forty-seven years ago.

#### FERRY PARK OPENS.

And now that the theater season is practically over, welcome to the first sign of summer. Ferry Park will open its gates to the public for the first time this season tomorrow afternoon. It will be only the "first look day," and will be followed until the season closes next September.

Ex-Judge Charles Wilson will direct this popular resort this year, which means new and popular attractions for both old and young patrons and the best season since the park opened. The theater this year will present only high class stage celebrities.

#### LAST GAME TOMORROW.

The Louisville ball team will play Milwaukee again this afternoon and tomorrow, the game tomorrow being the last on the home grounds until May 24, and every local fan should be on the job today and tomorrow to give the boys a good send-off before going away. They will open Tuesday in Kansas City, then going in turn to Milwaukee, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Indianapolis before returning home.

The games of the last few days have shown that the Colonels are rounding into form, and best of all the pitchers have obtained control. Davis, Bebee, Main, Constock and Laque being a strong quartette for regular work. Strod and Perdue still need warm weather to get in to beat with Kansas City, Minneapolis, Columbus, Milwaukee, Toledo and St. Paul coming in the order named. Owner Wathen and the club has suffered from bad weather the past week, so be on hand today and tomorrow to offset this.

#### ONLY ONE LOVE.

"Grandpa" Thomas Kelly, 102 years old, the oldest resident of the Soldier's Home at Milwaukee, is dead. He entered the home December 20, 1884. During the civil war he served in the Second Missouri Infantry. For the last year he had been confined to the hospital. A week before his death he told a visitor with a chuckle that he still "was sound as a horse." It was his boast that he never loved

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Late News That Will Interest Members Here and Elsewhere.

Louisville Council will have its initiation on May 13.

Fifty candidates were initiated at Dayton, Ohio, last Sunday.

Last Sunday fifty new members entered the council at Hastings, Neb.

Thursday evening Milwaukee Council voted in twenty-five new members.

Forty-three new members were received into the Omaha council last week.

Last Sunday eighty candidates received the three degrees at Muncie, Ind.

There will be a fourth degree exemplification at Oswego, N. Y., during October.

Archbishop Elder, St. Gabriel and Cincinnati Councils are conferring on the project of merging.

Four thousand Knights will march in the State convention parade at St. Louis next Tuesday.

There will be an initiation at David City, Neb., tomorrow, and another at Kearney on May 13.

Mayor Curley has suggested that the Fourth Degree Assembly of Boston form a Red Cross Hospital.

A class of sixty, the largest in the history of the council, has just been received at Manitowoc, Wis.

After a lapse of several years there will be a Kentucky fourth degree exemplification at Lexington on May 27.

For the seventeenth time the council at Logansport, Ind., conferred the degrees and increased the membership.

Archbishop Glennon and Bishop Burke will be honor guests at the Missouri State convention and banquet in St. Louis.

Helena Council, the youngest in Arkansas, initiated a class that more than doubled its membership since its initiation.

Right Rev. Bishop Rhode, of Green Bay, will be a guest of the Wisconsin State Council, which will be attended by over 200 delegates.

Grand Knight Cassilly and Past Grand Knight Decker will represent Louisville Council at the Kentucky State Council, which opens Tuesday at Bowling Green.

Nebraska Knights mourn the death of Hon. Timothy J. Mahoney, who was the first Grand Knight of Omaha Council and the first Supreme officer for Nebraska.

Bishop Carroll Council had a flag raising on Saturday at its home in Covington. Parochial school children sang patriotic songs and a squad of soldiers assisted in the exercises.

#### LOYALTY TO COUNTRY.

Before an audience of men that crowded Memorial Hall, assembled in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at Dayton, Ohio, Rev. Martin Neville, pastor of Holy Angels church, in a stirring address encouraged enlistment in the army. The Third Regiment, U. S. A., was present, and with the others joined in giving Father Neville's speech a hearty reception. Declaring that all America was aware of the patriotism and love of country of the Irish citizens and their readiness to answer the country's call, he urged the men to enlist, saying: "Enlist right away. No man is worthy of his country or a woman's love who stands back in this crisis. Go. Take your guns. Answer your country's call. The greatest happiness is that which comes from a great and noble fight. Patriotism is love of country and the passion which comes from trying to maintain its laws and traditions. Promise tonight, young men, that you will enlist, the United States needs you." Loyalty to God, he declared, means loyalty to one's country. Judge Dennis Dwyer was among those who sat on the platform as special guests of the evening.

#### REAL CHURCH NEED.

There is nothing, we feel sure, that can accumulate quite as quickly as church goods requisitions. When we have taken care of a fairly good-sized number of them, along come twice as many more, and we are deeper in the hole than we ever were before. Just now the Church Extension Society is doing its utmost to supply the needs of 188 priests who have asked for monstrances. From this figure you will understand that there are 188 little chapels scattered throughout the country where, for a lack of a monstrance, benediction of the Blessed Sacrament can not be given. A monstrance costs \$25. Can you not place in one of these chapels a lasting memorial to a deceased dear one? If you feel as though you can, the Catholic Church Extension Society, 750 McCormick building, Chicago, Ill., would be pleased to hear from you.

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